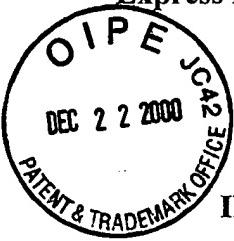


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PROTEIN MEDiated IMMUNE RESPONSE BY CO-
ADMINISTRATION WITH ANGIOGENESIS INHIBITOR

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on June 26, 2000, in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicant submits this Amendment and Response. A petition and appropriate fee for a three month extension of time up to and including December 26, 2000, is submitted herewith.

Claims 1-27 are pending. Claims 1-27 stand rejected. Applicant amends claims 1, 10, 12, 19, 20 and 25. Applicant adds new claims 28-39. Accordingly, after entry of this Amendment, claims 1-39 will be pending for examination.

AMENDMENT

To the Claims

Please amend claims 1, 10, 12, 19, 20 and 25 to read as follows. (A marked up version of the amended claims is attached at the end of this Amendment and Response.)

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~~1. (Amended) A method of inducing a cytoidal immune response against a preselected cell-type in a mammal, the method comprising:~~

~~administering to the mammal (i) an immunoconjugate comprising an antibody binding site capable of binding the preselected cell-type and a cytokine capable of inducing the cytoidal immune response against the preselected cell-type, and (ii) an angiogenesis inhibitor.~~